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SUBJ: TV COOPERATIVE WITH ROMANIAN TV

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1. ROMANIAN TV RE-SCHEDEDULED FEBRUARY 15 MEETING FOR MARCH 11 BECAUSE SAIZESCU HAD NOT YET COMPLETED LIST OF POSSIBLE THEMES FOR CO-OP. SAIZESCU INFORMED US LAST WEEK THAT HE HAS BEEN BUSY WITH WORK ON ROMANIAN TV COVERAGE OF ELECTIONS FOR GRAND NATIONAL ASSEMBLY (HELD MARCH 9) AND WAS UNABLE TO MAKE FINAL DECISIONS OR MEET WITH US. HE ALSO SAID THAT IT NOT POSSIBLE TO SEND CREW FOR CO-OP FILMING THIS SPRING AS ORIGINALLY ANTICIPATED. WE LAST DISCUSSED THIS SUBJECT IN DETAIL WITH ROMTV IN CONNECTION WITH VISIT OF PBS INTERNATIONAL COORDINATOR FRED COHEN (SEE BUCHAREST 0883).

2. WHILE COHEN VISIT AND PAOPOSAL FOR EXCHANGE WITH PBS MAY HAVE DETOURED ROMANIAN TV SLIGHTLY, SAIZESCU AND OTHER OFFICIALS REMAIN GREATLY INTERESTED IN TV CO-OP PROPOSAL. DIFFERENCES OF TWO PROPOSALS WERE STRESSED AND CORRECTLY PERCEIVED BY RTV OFFICIALS DURING COHEN VISIT AND WE ARE STILL OPTIMISTIC RE THEIR EVENTUAL PARTICIPATION BUT WITH LATER TIME FRAME (POSSIBLY LATE SUMMER OR EARLY AUTUMN).
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3. WILL ADVISE RE DEVELOPMENTS AFTER MARCH 11 MEETING.

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